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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Jean-Pierre MOY

Application No. 10/518,082

Filed: December 16, 2004

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Examiner: RHONDA PEACE

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR POSITIONING AN OPTICAL COMPONENT
BETWEEN TWO OPTICAL FIBERSPETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIMECommissioner for Patents
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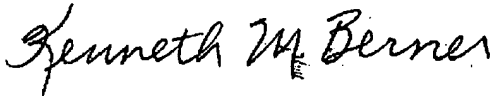
Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated August 8, 2006 for one month from November 8, 2006 to December 8, 2006.

A credit card authorization form to cover the cost of the extension is attached. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No.: 07-1337.

Respectfully submitted,

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